

REFERENCE TITLE: transportation network company vehicles; inspections

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## **HB 2273**

Introduced by  
Representative Weninger

AN ACT

AMENDING SECTION 28-9555, ARIZONA REVISED STATUTES; RELATING TO  
TRANSPORTATION NETWORK COMPANIES.

(TEXT OF BILL BEGINS ON NEXT PAGE)

1 Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Arizona:

2 Section 1. Section 28-9555, Arizona Revised Statutes, is amended to  
3 read:

4 28-9555. Transportation network company duties; driver  
5 requirements

6 A. Before a person may accept trip requests through a digital  
7 network or software application, the transportation network company shall  
8 do all of the following:

9 1. Require the person to submit an application to the  
10 transportation network company that includes the person's name, address,  
11 age, driver license number, driving history, motor vehicle  
12 registration, ~~INFORMATION AND~~ motor vehicle insurance information and any  
13 other information requested by the transportation network company.

14 2. Conduct, or have a third party conduct, a local and national  
15 criminal background check for each applicant that includes a search of a  
16 multijurisdiction criminal records locator or similar, validated  
17 commercial nationwide database and a national sex offender registry  
18 database.

19 3. Obtain and review a driving history report for the applicant.

20 4. Require that ~~all~~ A transportation network company ~~vehicles~~  
21 ~~VEHICLE~~ used by A transportation network company ~~drivers meet~~ DRIVER MEETS  
22 state vehicle safety and emissions standards for private vehicles and ~~have~~  
23 ~~REQUIRE EITHER OF THE FOLLOWING:~~

24 (a) IF THE VEHICLE IS TEN YEARS OR LESS FROM THE YEAR OF  
25 MANUFACTURE, THE TRANSPORTATION NETWORK COMPANY DRIVER TO SUBMIT AN  
26 ATTESTATION THAT THE TRANSPORTATION NETWORK COMPANY VEHICLE MEETS THE  
27 STATE VEHICLE SAFETY AND EMISSIONS STANDARDS FOR PRIVATE VEHICLES.

28 (b) IF THE VEHICLE IS OLDER THAN TEN YEARS FROM THE YEAR OF  
29 MANUFACTURE, THE VEHICLE TO HAVE at a minimum an annual brake and tire  
30 inspection that is performed by a qualified third party.

31 B. A transportation network company may not allow a person to act  
32 as a transportation network company driver who:

33 1. Has had more than three moving violations or one major violation  
34 pursuant to this title in the preceding three years. For the purposes of  
35 this paragraph, "major violation" includes attempting to evade the police,  
36 reckless driving or driving on a suspended or revoked license.

37 2. Has been convicted within the preceding seven years of ~~violation~~  
38 ~~of~~ A SERIOUS OFFENSE AS DEFINED IN section 13-706, ~~OR A VIOLATION OF~~  
39 SECTION 28-1381, 28-1382 or 28-1383 or title 13, chapter 14, 19, 22, 23,  
40 34 or 35.1.

41 3. Is listed in a national sex offender registry database.

42 4. Does not possess a valid driver license.

43 5. Does not possess proof of registration for the motor vehicle  
44 that will be used as a transportation network company vehicle.

1           6. Does not possess proof of financial responsibility for the motor  
2 vehicle that will be used as a transportation network company vehicle.

3           7. Is not at least nineteen years of age.

4           C. A transportation network company or its agent shall maintain  
5 records of the criminal background check conducted on behalf of each  
6 transportation network company driver and make the records available to  
7 the department on request.